

URGES VETERANS  
APPLY FOR LOANS

McDuffie Addresses Service  
Men of Both Races Here  
On Saturday Night

SEVERAL JOIN LEGION

It is believed that every World War veteran should borrow every cent on his adjusted compensation certificates now," D. P. McDuffie, district vice-commander of the American Legion, said at a meeting of the Legion on Saturday night in a room at the court house. About 50 were present, including more than a dozen members of the negro race. McDuffie expressed the hope that the negroes would organize a post of their own and pointed out that Lt. Okey, State vice-commander of Raleigh, would be glad to lend his assistance to such movement.

Dr. Wallace F. Mustian, commander of Limer post, American Legion, presided over the meeting. Mr. McDuffie was introduced by Mayor Frank H. Gibbs after Congressman John H. Kerr had told those present of the legislation passed in order that they might cash in on the bonus certificates and in his support in the Legion's legislation program. Congressman Kerr pointed out that the measure did not go as far as he desired. He said they worked 100 per cent loan value, but were unable to obtain more than 50 per cent granted.

Mr. McDuffie told of the purpose of the Legion and the necessity of organization if this purpose was to be realized. The principal object of the Legion he said, is to care for the widows and orphans of those who made the supreme sacrifice, and to secure legislation to care for those who were injured during the world war conflict. Much progress has been made along these lines, continued, but much remains to be done, and organization is necessary if this is to be accomplished. Another ideal for which the Legion is fighting is to have enacted law that in case of another war capital will be drafted as well as manhood, he said. "If we can do this in our Constitution, I sincerely believe it will mean an end to war."

Following those who were trying to fight by charging military fees and filling out soldier's claims, Mr. McDuffie asked that these present charge a cent for such service. He gave his time to help your bud-such is the ideal and aim of the American Legion," he concluded after paying a splendid tribute to Roy O. Rodwell, native of Warren who has been giving much assistance to veterans of Vance in every way possible.

Following Mr. McDuffie's talk membership blanks were passed among the white citizens present and several signified their intention of joining Limer Post.

Hunters Follow  
Several Clues And  
Locate Treasure

The treasure hunt promoted by the Black Cat Club on last Friday evening came to a close after about an hour and half of hard riding when Frank Brown Allen and Miss Elizabeth Stackhouse located the treasure, a box of candies, in an open place on the Williams' premises. The late Mr. Kearney Williams with the view of giving the young people a place to roast marshmallows and toast marshmallows, the chase a dance was played in the Williams home. The club made approximately \$20 which will be turned over to Miss Lucy Smith to aid in welfare work in this community.

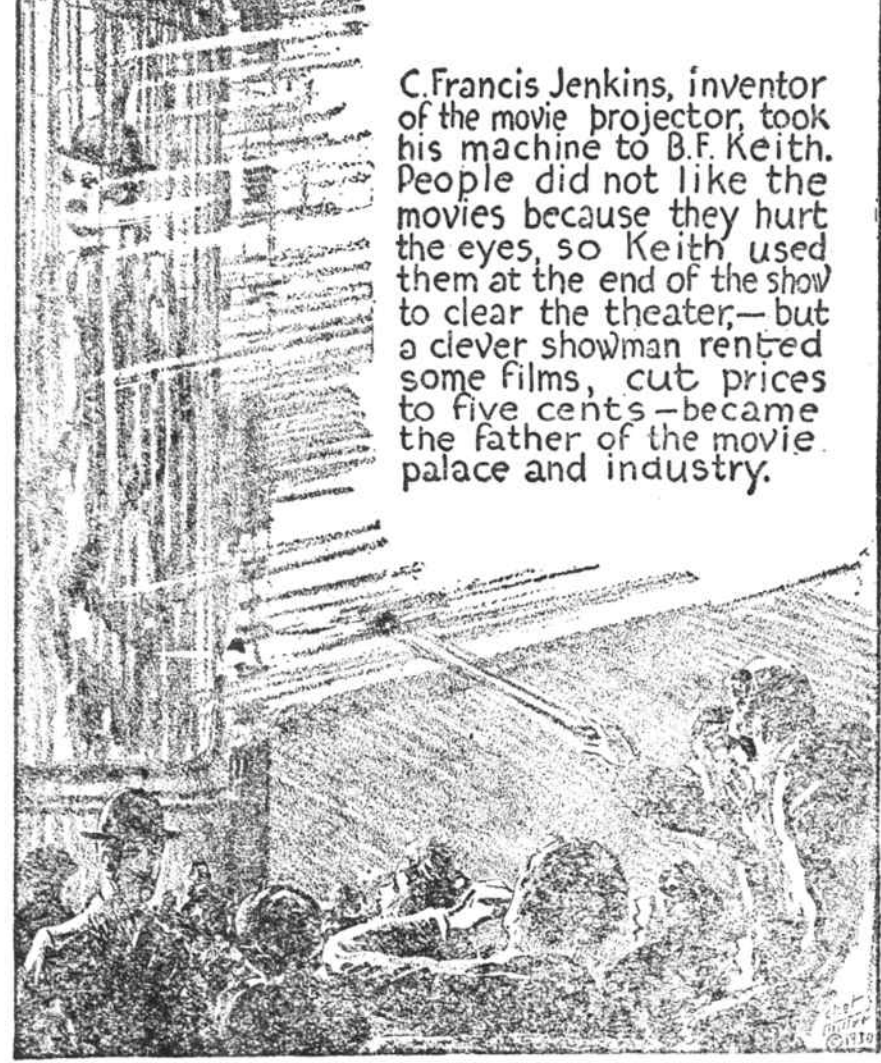
White Man Saws  
Prison Bars; Escapes

Henry Hanson, young white man, escaped from the Warren county jail on Tuesday night. He was waiting trial on a charge of larceny of an automobile. He has not been re-captured. The escape was effected by sawing the bars of an upstairs window and letting himself down with a rope blanket. How the prisoner got into possession of a hacksaw is not known. No other prisoners escaped.

LUCKY BREAKS

By C. R. Miller

HE CHASED THEM OUT—  
NOW BRINGS THEM IN



C. Francis Jenkins, inventor of the movie projector, took his machine to B. F. Keith. People did not like the movies because they hurt the eyes, so Keith used them at the end of the show to clear the theater,—but a clever showman rented some films, cut prices to five cents,—became the father of the movie palace and industry.

Boy Scout Troops  
To Be Formed In  
Schools of County

With one troop already organized and plans being made for other troops in the schools of Warren, the Boy Scout movement was launched in Warren yesterday afternoon when R. H. Bright, teacher of agriculture in the John Graham school, met in the school building with Claude Humphrey of Raleigh, district Scout executive, and Mr. Sharp of Atlanta, regional Scout executive. Several students also attended the meeting and 24 of these signified their intention of joining.

Plans being worked out call for an organization of a Warren county troop to be affiliated with troops from Vance, Granville, Halifax and Franklin counties with headquarters at Henderson and a summer camp in Wake county. Troops are to be organized in each school section with county headquarters at Warrenton. Local meetings will probably be held each week with a county meeting once a month, Mr. Bright said.

Mr. Humphrey expects to return to Warrenton on March 26, when he will be the guest of the Warrenton Kiwanis club and explain to its members various phases and objectives of the Scout meeting. The Kiwanis club is sponsoring this movement and it is expected that a committee will be appointed from this body to assist Mr. Bright in his work.

Mr. Bright said that the 24 boys who signified their intention of joining the local troop were 12 years of age or slightly older. This number provides enough members for three patrols and the enrollment of the local troop will probably be held to this number.

Drewry School Is  
Back At Work In  
Three Buildings

The Drewry school is in operation again with a loss of little more than a day caused by the building being destroyed by fire Thursday of last week.

School committeemen met with Supt. Allen at Drewry that night and plans were made for the reopening. Principal C. O. Rogers of the Middleburg school tendered the use of three rooms, vacant since the farm life department was discontinued in his school. The committeemen accepted this offer. Other pupils are being taught in the Methodist Protestant church and in the Methodist Episcopal church at Drewry.

Meeting in these three places the students were assigned new lessons on Monday and an effort made to obtain as many books as possible to replace those destroyed in the fire.

Plans have not been made for next year's session, it was learned at the office of Superintendent Allen yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Rob Hardy of Arcola was a visitor at Warrenton this week. Mrs. Haywood Clark of Wilmington is visiting relatives here.

ASKED TO CALL 27  
IN AN EMERGENCY

Telephone Installed On Main  
Street For Purpose Of  
Reaching Policeman

TRAFFIC LIGHT SHIPPED

If a policeman is needed in a hurry or in case of fire, or other emergency, Warrenton citizens are asked to call 27. This is the number of the emergency telephone installed on Main street near the court house this week by the board of town commissioners.

The installation of the telephone was authorized at the regular March meeting of the board of commissioners at which time a committee from the Kiwanis club, composed by W. N. Boyd, J. A. Dameron and W. R. Strickland, appeared and asked that such a phone be placed here. The idea met with the whole-hearted support of the body and an order was passed without dissenting vote. Manager Stanley of the telephone company connected the instrument early in the week. All is in readiness for Warrenton's first emergency call.

The automatic signal light authorized by the board to be installed at the intersection of the Macon road with Main street is expected to be aiding in traffic direction in a few days. Notice from a Chicago manufacturer said that the light had been shipped. It is believed that it will only require a few days to have it installed.

Many Hear Singing  
Class Here Monday

Members of the Oxford Orphanage singing class gave a concert at John Graham school auditorium here on Monday evening. Much praise has been heard for the program. No admission charge was made, but a freewill offering brought in more than \$90 for orphanage work, a member of the committee on arrangements said yesterday.

The class this year was composed of 14 members under the direction of Miss Anna Morrison. It was accompanied to Warrenton by L. W. Alderman, who with its members were guests in Warrenton homes on Monday night. The class departed for Louisburg on Tuesday morning to present a concert in that city on Tuesday evening.

Town Primary To  
Be Held On April 20

Democratic voters of Warrenton are called to meet at the court house at Warrenton on Monday night, April 20, for the purpose of nominating a mayor and seven members of the board of town commissioners. The primary was called yesterday by Julius Banzet, chairman of the Democratic Executive committee of Warrenton.

Frank H. Gibbs is Mayor. Members of the board are C. F. Moseley, Ed Gilliam, H. A. Mcsey, J. E. Rooker, Frank Serls, Boyd Massenburg, W. R. Strickland. It is understood that these gentlemen will again be candidates. No opposition has developed.

Henry C. Haithcock  
Dies at Age of 83

Henry Clay Haithcock, age 83, died at his home near Macon Friday morning and was buried at Gardner's Baptist Church Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Haithcock was a native of Warren County and spent his entire life here.

In the absence of his pastor, Rev. E. C. Shoe, funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. O. Walton pastor of Vaughan Baptist church.

He is survived by three sons, W. W., H. W. and H. G. Haithcock, twenty-three grandchildren and twelve great-grandchildren.

The pall bearers were six grandsons, Clyde, Claude, Herbert, Grady, Harney and Cree Haithcock.

STOLE HIS PANTS AND COAT;  
WANTS TO GIVE 'EM VEST

"Somebody stole the pants and the coat to a blue serge suit from my home recently," Max Perman, merchant, said yesterday. "Say through your paper, that whoever it was left the vest. I want him to call and get that too."

POULTRY TRUCK TO BE HERE  
ON SATURDAY, MARCH 28TH

Farmers Urged To Market Surplus Poultry; Cash To Be  
Paid At Truck Door; Car Shipment of February  
Proves Satisfactory; Brings Nearly \$350

PRICES SLIGHTLY HIGHER IN SEVERAL CASES

A poultry truck will be at Warrenton on Saturday, March 28, from 10 o'clock until 2 o'clock, for the purpose of aiding farmers to dispose of their surplus poultry. R. H. Bright, local vocational agricultural teacher, announced yesterday.

Response to the first co-operative sale of poultry at Norlina on February 28, was favorable. At that time a poultry car was placed on a siding through the efforts of the Warrenton Kiwanis club working with Mr. Bright. Approximately \$350 worth of poultry was sold for cash at the car door.

As a result of the first sale a second shipment is to be made. This time the poultry will be handled by truck and farmers are asked to bring their poultry to Warrenton on Saturday, March 28. Cash will be paid at the car door.

Negro Shoots His  
Cousin At Macon  
Saturday Night

Charged with shooting Forrest Harris negro, at Macon on Saturday night, Marland Harris, negro, is in Warren county jail. He will be given a preliminary hearing before Magistrate W. C. Ellington this morning at 10 o'clock. Forrest Harris is at his home nursing a wound in the face where the ball from a 25-calibre pistol ploughed through. He is expected to recover.

The trouble is said to have started at a ball game at Macon on Saturday afternoon at which time it is alleged that Marland Harris beat the brother of Forrest Harris and cursed a negro preacher as well. Marland is said to have shot at Forrest Harris that afternoon as he was riding along the road on a mule.

Saturday night it is alleged, that Marland Harris went to the home of Forrest Harris, his cousin at Macon, and words grew hot when Forrest wanted to know why Marland beat up his brother. Forrest pushed Marland through the door of his home and the latter pulled a pistol and shot through the door it is said. The ball entering one side of Forrest's face and came out of the other.

Forrest Harris was rushed to the Roanoke Rapids hospital by Macon Thornton. Marland Harris was arrested by Constable R. O. Snipes and held in Warren county jail without bond pending the outcome of Forrest Harris' injuries. Forrest was brought from the hospital to his home on Thursday and unless complications set in his wound should not prove fatal, it is said. He is expected to attend the hearing this morning.

Mrs. J. A. Shepherd  
Buried Wednesday

Funeral services for Mrs. J. A. Shepherd were held at Sulphur Springs Baptist church near Elberton on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock by the Rev. George May of Centerville assisted by the Rev. R. Jackson of Wise. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Shepherd died at her home at Elberton on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. She had been in failing health for some time. Heart trouble is given as the cause of death.

Pallbearers were six of her grandsons, W. A. Jones, H. H. Jones, G. L. Aycock, A. L. Aycock, T. M. Aycock and F. W. Aycock.

Mrs. Shepherd is survived by her husband, two daughters, Mrs. A. A. Jones and Mrs. T. H. Aycock, by two sisters, Miss Martha O'Neal and Mrs. R. S. Short of Afton, and by one brother, T. H. O'Neal of Henderson.

WARREN STRING BAND TO  
BROADCAST OVER WPTF

The Warren County string band will broadcast over Station WPTF, Raleigh, on Saturday night from 8:30 to 9 o'clock, according to announcement made here yesterday.

CAPTURE STILL

A 40-gallon copper still running at full blast was captured in Roanoke township on Friday by J. C. and E. D. Davis. A man at the still escaped. Five quarts of whiskey and 75 gallons of beer were destroyed.

SEED LOANS MAY  
REACH \$250,000

Gregory Says Over \$60,000  
Has Already Been Applied  
For; Applicants Increase

REPEAL TENANT CLAUSE

Warren farmers have already applied for loans totalling more than \$60,000 under the Government Seed Loan Act, G. B. Gregory, Cashier of the Bank of Warren, chairman of the loan committee in Warren, said yesterday.

Mr. Gregory said that much of the money from this source had already arrived in Warren. Judging from the number of applicants from these loans, he said, between \$200,000 and \$300,000 will be loaned farmers in this county under the act.

LIMITATIONS ON LOANS TO  
TENANT GROUPS REMOVED

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Secretary Hyde today announced removal of limitations on loans to tenant groups from the \$45,000,000 drought loan fund.

Hereafter loans will be fixed at the discretion of local administrative agencies.

Heretofore seed loans to tenants have been limited by law to a maximum of \$2,000 and those for "agricultural rehabilitation" to \$1,000.

In many localities, Hyde said, conditions preclude the landlord from financing his own tenants. "In order therefore to protect and to aid such tenants equally with others," he added, "the limitation of \$2,000 has been withdrawn."

State Takes Over  
The Maintenance  
Of Louisburg Road

The State this week took over the maintenance of the Warrenton-Louisburg road designating it as Temporary Route No. 59. This route leads over the Huggins creek road and shortens the distance to Raleigh by several miles.

Citizens have been trying for a number of years to have a road constructed by the State from Warrenton to Louisburg, pointing out that it would not only open up a fertile field for development, but would also shorten the distance from Richmond to Raleigh by many miles. Such a road has been promised for several years and in recent months two surveys have been made. Engineers are expected to return to Warrenton about the first of April to complete the latest survey, it was learned from a road man here yesterday.

Work on all highways in the State with the exception of government aid projects is being delayed, it is said, due to the fact that the Government has limited its emergency loan fund to a short period and the State authorities are trying to participate in this fund as much as possible.

The present road from Warrenton to Raleigh is a Federal aid road. The proposed Louisburg road is not. Efforts may be made to have this road made a Federal aid project, it is said.

Provide White Canes  
For Blind Persons

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 24.—Blind residents of Rochester are now provided with white canes to aid in identifying them.

The police department co-operated in the work by ordering patrolmen to watch for and assist the users of the canes. Residents were also asked to help.

If a blind person likes a particular cane he now has, it will be painted white for him.

With the exception of New York city, Rochester is the home of more blind persons than any city in the state, police officials said.

FAB PENDLETON ENGAGED

Announcement is made of the engagement of Fabius Busby Pendleton, of Warrenton, to Mrs. Isabelle Childs Mahan, of New York and Los Angeles, Cal. Mrs. Mahan is the daughter of the late Daniel Brewer Childs New York attorney. She is a graduate of Miss Spence's school later attending Stanford University in California, is active in the Junior League, and numerous clubs, including the D. A. R., and is prominent in motion picture circles as a writer.

Mr. Pendleton attended Episcopal High School and Georgia Tech, afterwards spending some time in the Philippines. The wedding date has not been set as yet, due to his business, but will be in the immediate future.